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Sent:

Friday, April 01, 2011 1:00 PM

To: Cc: vanessa_kermick@risch.senate.gov Kraig Siracuse; JOHN ZAGAME

Subject:

Somalia

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Dear Vanessa,

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Could John and I possibly stop by next Wednesday, April 6th to briefly introduce you and/or the right person in your office to Ambassador Arman? As a member of the Senate Committees on Intelligence and Foreign Relations, I'm sure Senator Risch can benefit from what you might be able to tell him after you meet Ambassador Arman. Thanks for any time you can afford us, and thanks in advance for your kind consideration. We hope to spend some time with your office soon.

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Sent:

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To:

Simonds, Meghan (Collins)

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From:

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Sent:

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To: Subject:

RE: Somalia

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I'm sorry for the typo, but I obviously meant tell her (not him)! Again, my apologies.

From: Sean King

Sent: Friday, April 01, 2011 1:19 PM **To:** 'Ryan_Kaldahl@collins.senate.gov'

Subject: FW: Somalia

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Ryan,

I saw that Meghan's no longer with your office, and was told you're handling foreign policy issues. I'd appreciate anything consideration re below.

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Thanks, Sean King

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Sent: Friday, April 01, 2011 1:09 PM **To:** 'Simonds, Meghan (Collins)'

Cc: Kraig Siracuse; JOHN ZAGAME; Joel Giambra

Subject: Somalia

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Subject:

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From:

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To: Subject:

FW: Somalia

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Jim,

I hear you took over Dylan's issues after he left. I appreciate any consideration you might have re below.

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Thanks, Sean King

From: Sean King

Sent: Friday, April 01, 2011 1:35 PM **To:** 'Dylan_Williams@snowe.senate.gov' **Cc:** Kraig Siracuse; JOHN ZAGAME

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Best wishes,